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Snapshots Wanted For Photo Contest

The Greenbelt NEWS REVIEW's first photo contest has started off with a resounding thud. So few entries have been submitted that it has been necessary to extend the three-month contest. It will now run from April 1 to June 30. Photos submitted in March will be included in the April contest.

Any snapshot taken by an amateur Greenbelt photographer qualifies. Two categories have been established -- People and Places. The first refers to photos of local people, and the second to still shots of Greenbelt scenes.

Each month a prize of \$5.00 in cash will be awarded to the best photograph in each category submitted that month. At the end of the contest a grand prize of \$25.00 plus three months' interest will be awarded for the best in each category.

Twin Pines Savings and Loan Association is providing the cash prizes, with the two \$25 prizes placed in special accounts in order to draw interest. The grand prize winners can continue the account or cash them in.

Complete rules for the contest are available at Twin Pines, where all photographs should be submitted. The NEWS REVIEW will publish some of the photographs submitted from time to time.

GHI Notes

Vacancy losses in 1960 were one-tenth of one percent for both GHI member homes and the apartments. This was the lowest in the corporation's history and may be compared with vacancy rates of about 5 percent in the metropolitan area.

GHI operating reserves suffered a depletion of \$10,300 in 1960, due mainly to the need for drawing upon maintenance reserves to meet the costs of the accelerated exterior trim paint program. This drop was offset only in part by accretions to the heating reserves. Since 1958 the tax reserves have been reduced to zero.

Contingency reserves, however, were increased by \$31,000 during 1960. Total contingency reserves for the brick homes now stand at \$74,600 and for the frame homes at \$108,800.

The GHI board authorized management to invest \$47,000 of reserves in federally-insured Maryland savings and loans associations.

Greenbelt Development Corporation, operator of the GHI-owned apartments, reported a net gain of \$6,100 from its 1960 operations. This was less than last year's surplus but larger than the year before.

The Garden Club has agreed to relinquish several plots of land on the site proposed for the elderly housing project. In turn, GHI will assign other plots near the Administration Building. Since the soil being given up has been worked and fertilized for several years, GHI will make amends by plowing up the new land for Garden Club members.

Residents of 6 Ridge court have agreed to disagree about the solution to their parking problem which GHI has now turned back to the city.

The GHI board voted \$100 to sponsor a Little League ball team.

Police News

A Berwyn Heights man who was served with a warrant charging assault on a six year old Greenbelt girl last week, has been served with a second assault warrant when he was identified as the same man who took an eight year old Greenbelt girl for a ride last October. The eight year old girl immediately identified his photograph and that of his car when she was shown a group of pictures.

Residents did a double take when they saw a light pole set up in the middle of the road on Southway between the Co-op gas station and the Armory on Thursday. Pepco was acting a bit prematurely on tentative orders which would place a pole in that location when the new roads are completed. The pole was taken down by a construction crew that afternoon.

The first accident on Centerway since the new parking plan went into effect occurred on Thursday when a delivery truck started to back up and failed to notice a car passing by. Damage was estimated at \$150. A car backing up in the Co-op parking lot hit a passing car and caused \$100 damage.

About \$1000 worth of TV and radio tubes were reported stolen from the vacant store which used to be the Greenbelt Pharmacy. The tubes were recovered by Officer C. Lee Byrd. A local man had taken them, thinking they had been abandoned. Full restitution has been made.

The theft of one hubcap from a car on Hillside was reported on Saturday night.

Junior High PTA

A meeting of the Greenbelt Junior High PTA will take place on Tuesday, April 11, at 8 p.m. Following election of officers, there will be a panel discussion, "How We Can Better Prepare Our Children For the Future". Dr. Margaret Conant, coordinator of the parent-child study program of Prince Georges County, will act as moderator. Panelists include Mrs. Bevrige, vice principal at DuVal High School, Mr. Mulligan, guidance counsellor at High Point, Mr. Geissenhainer, vice-principal of Bladensburg Vocational, Mr. Anderson, vice-principal of Greenbelt Junior High, and Mrs. Wyatt and Mr. Plummer, parents.

JCC Elects Officers

New officers for the Jewish Community Center of Prince Georges County were elected at the congregation's annual election meeting on March 25. Sam Shwimer, 45-M Ridge, was elected president.

Other officers for the coming year are: Elliot Bukzin, vice-president for administration; Harry Weiner, vice-president for program; Morris Steinman, treasurer; Ethel Rosenzweig, financial secretary; Dorothy Sucher, recording secretary; Jeanette Zubkoff, corresponding secretary; and new members of the board of trustees are Samuel Suslan-sky, Morris Berman, Jerry Pines, Harry Greenbaum and Sam Horlick.

Gala Easter Egg Hunt

Our tenth annual Easter Egg Hunt was once again a gala affair for the Greenbelt children who participated. The long list of winners is led by three golden egg winners, one from each age group: Kim Porter, 44-T Ridge in the preschool group; Molly Allen, 14-Y Ridge in the first to third grade group; and Angie Billets, 51 Crescent in the fourth to sixth grade group.

The remaining lucky youngsters were: Mary Denning, 19 Woodland Way; Mike Sheville, 1-M Lakeside; Pamela Oppermann, 33-B Ridge; Mike Sweeney, 117 33-B Ridge; Mike Sweeney, 116 Greenhill Rd.; Rita Polashick, 12-D Ridge; Robin Corbin, 1-D Southway; Patty Bailey, 1-E Southway; Andrea Haslinger, 11-N Ridge; Bill Bailey 1-E Southway; Pat Shanahan, 2-J Westway; Jimmy Swartz, 9-C Southway; Eddie Hill, Cipriano Rd.

Also Mike McMann, 27-A Ridge; Cathy Phillips, 3-D Ridge; Donna Egil, 17-M Parkway; Larry Hager, 1-G Hillside; Jimmy Lewis, 2-F Plateau Pl.; Debbi JUSTICE, 3-C Ridge; Ricky Bailey, 1-E Southway; Ronnie Slepitz, 55-G Ridge; Charles Holloman, 4-G Laurel Hill Rd.; Pat Hanyok, 23-N Ridge; Billy German 23-M Ridge.

Also Danny Kosisky, 6-D Plateau Pl.; Thomas Skillman, 103 Northway; Donnie Billets, 51 Crescent; Randy Smith, 15 Lakeside; Rusty Smith, 15 Lakeside; Billy Jet, 57-F Ridge; Mark Wilkinson, 62-C Ridge; Becky Simons, 14-N Ridge; John Whitbeck, 19-H Ridge; Carl Bouffard, 2-C Research; Clay Harmon, 23-B Ridge; Debbie Carries, 39-F Ridge; John Parker, 12 Research; Mark Rogers, 1-F Southway; Paul Chaney, 71-L Ridge; and Martin Madden, 110 Northway.

Who's The Buyer?

A mystery land transaction involving Greenbelt property took place last week. News has reached city manager Charles McDonald's office that the narrow strip of land opposite the junior high school and lying between Edmonston Rd. and Kenilworth Ave. has been sold through the New York office of Webb & Knapp.

The Washington office which has been handling all the Greenbelt properties of the company, reportedly knows nothing about the sale. Local citizens are speculating that the 8.6 acre tract may be slated for use as the site of a small office building.

Co-op Nursery School

A tour of the nursery school classrooms and a panel discussion on the purposes and organization of Greenbelt's cooperative nursery school will highlight the program of the annual combined membership meeting of the nursery school next Monday night. The meeting will be held at 8:15 p.m. in Fellowship Center behind the Community Church. The 1960-61 members, and the 1961-62 members will also elect officers to serve the school next year.

Those participating in the panel will be Mrs. Lisa Dalton, teacher, Mrs. Dorothy White, Mrs. Virginia Beauchamp, Mrs. Dorothy Sucher, and Mrs. Dorothy Pehl.

Greenbelt Youthful City, Census Shows

Greenbelt residents can now determine just how average their families are with respect to size and age composition.

Advance reports from the 1960 Census of Population give preliminary data on population characteristics for Greenbelt, along with 65 other Maryland cities and towns designated as "urban places."

As of April 1, 1960, Greenbelters averaged 3.55 persons per household. This was below the average for Prince Georges county (3.48 persons). Greenbelt ranked 24th in the state among county (3.65 persons), but above the average for the state (3.48 persons). Greenbelt ranked 24th in the state among urban places--the highest being Wheaton with 4.15 persons per household and the lowest Mt. Rainier with 2.75 persons. There were 2,104 households in Greenbelt an increase of 12.3 percent from 1950.

Of the total Greenbelt population of 7,479 on April 1, 1960, 43.8 percent were under age 18. Only 6 urban places in the State had a higher percentage. Wheaton--with 47.9 percent--led the State; Westminster was the lowest with 25.8 percent. The Statewide average was 36.6 percent and the county average was 39.6 percent.

At the other extreme, Greenbelt had only 2.7 percent of its population aged 65 and over. Only 5 urban places had a lower percentage. The average for the State was 7.3 percent and for Prince Georges county 4.2 percent.

Greenbelt was also among the nine urban places with the smallest proportion of the population aged 18 to 64 years of age. It had 53.5 percent of its population in this age group, compared with 56.1 percent for the state and 56.2 percent for the county.

Greenbelt also ranked high among urban places in the proportion of females 14 years old and over who were married. Greenbelt's proportion of 76.2 percent was the 14th highest in the State. In contrast, the percent of married males aged 14 and over--76.8 percent--gave Greenbelt a ranking of 26th.

A tip to the girls. The lowest proportion of married males in the population aged 14 and over--45.7 percent--was found in College, undoubtedly due to the campus population. College Park also had the highest proportion of males in the population aged 18 and over--54 percent.

Greenbelt, however, doesn't do badly. Its proportion of male population aged 18 and over--49 percent--was surpassed by only 12 urban places. The State average was lower (48.8 percent) but the county average was higher (49.7 percent).

High Point Play

Tony McCarthy, 6-J Ridge Road, is one of the stars of the comedy, "Two Blind Mice," to be presented by High Point High's Little Theater on Friday, April 7, and Saturday, April 8, at 8:15 p.m. The play, a spoof on bureaucracy, also features Tom Wyatt, 2-A Hillside. Other leading roles are held by Miriam Wills, Pat Berlinger, and Janet Holtsclaw.

Road Work Progress

City maintenance crews took off Tuesday, March 28, from their long struggle with road repairs throughout Greenbelt, to repaint the yellow traffic and parking lines in the Center. They had been looking for a hot, dry day to perform this necessary job. In all other respects, however, road repair has priority over all other work. Laying the foundation for the paving of the driveway to the Youth Center is one project, for instance, which has had to be postponed because of the urgency of the road repair needs.

Abe Chasanow In New Battle With Council

By ISADORE PARKER

Local realtor Abe Chasanow renewed his battle with city officials last Monday night, complaining that lines have been painted on his property by the city without his permission. The area in question is a walk, included in the property description purchased by him, but which has been used as a public walk. The council instructed city manager Charles McDonald to turn the matter over to the city solicitor for study.

The walkway is public property by public usage, McDonald declared, having been used in this manner all during federal ownership and since the sale of the property to private parties. Chasanow replied that a 20-year period of public use is required by Maryland law before this takes effect; it has been owned by Chasanow for seven years. "I reset ... officials trying to ride roughshod over peoples rights," Chasanow asserted. (Two weeks ago Chasanow complained of the prohibition of left turns from Centerway to the East parking lot, which hurt his business enterprise, although there is presently no ordinance barring such turns.)

The city council again considered an ordinance amendment prohibiting left turns from Centerway (inadvertently omitted from the ordinance setting up a reversal of one-way traffic) and agreed to refer it back to the advisory planning board for further study. An attempt to get city council approval of McDonald's decision to prohibit left turns without the legal backing of an ordinance was rebuffed by mayor pro-tem Tom Canning. Nevertheless, as of Tuesday night, the barriers remain.

Eli DonBullion struggled with the council on two items. An endeavor to get city approval and sanction of the annual Labor Day Festival resulted in a council instruction to DonBullion to bring them a written proposal spelling out the program and the disbursement of funds signed by all co-sponsors and directors. A written statement by Don Bullion presented to the council earlier asked for quick action on approval of the Labor Day event. He indicated the proceeds would go for all other youth activities and organizations having difficulty in raising funds by their own efforts. City officials indicated the need for a Festival in order to raise funds for the Youth Center, as in previous years, did not exist any longer.

An offer by DonBullion to rent a portion of the warehouse space, owned by the city, met stiff opposition by Canning. He declared surplus space owned by the city should not be rented by negotiation, but advertised and rented to the highest bidder. A motion to that effect failed after a 2-2 vote, Mayor Alan Kistler being absent, an earlier motion to rent the space by negotiation to DonBullion, made by councilman Dave Champion, also failed through a tie vote.

In other business, the personnel board was increased two members to five. Ordinances introduced for first reading included one to impound cars, pay for a "fire line" to Hyattsville board, pay the NEWS REVIEW sums owed for advertising, and to purchase an additional fire extinguisher for the Youth Center building.

JCC Woman's Group

The Women's Group of the Jewish Community Center will hold a meeting on Wednesday, April 12, at 8:30 p.m. Dr. Dorothy Deach, associated with the Physical Education Department of the University of Maryland will speak on "Leisure Time."

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Let the Members Help

The GHI board's decision to set up an advisory committee from the membership at large is most welcome. The committee in question is the newly formed 11-member group which will study the merits of a proposal to build housing for the elderly. As reported in last week's *News Review*, this committee has stated as its governing principle its hope of drawing into its ranks all the members of the corporation who are in any way interested in providing housing for the aging under the auspices of GHI.

Whatever the merits of the program itself, this paper regards as salutary the action of the board to involve the membership in the planning process of a contemplated project. To many observers at the special membership meeting of the corporation, held in February, the vote against the board's proposal to undertake construction of the retirement housing units reflected not so much the membership's disapproval of the proposal itself as of the membership's resentment at having been left out of preliminary planning and cut off from satisfactory inquiry.

Like the husband in Rølvaag's novel, *Giants in the Earth*, the GHI board often seems so busy carrying into effect its grand schemes to serve the membership—as that ambitious husband sought to astonish and please his wife—that they leave the membership, like the wife, with only an overwhelming sense of loneliness at being excluded from all the dreams, at being denied the companionship of sharing the work as well as the fruits of work. Human beings have a perverse way of failing to appreciate things done for them, but of rising to the occasion when there's a job to do.

Sincere solicitation and utilization by the Board of widespread membership participation in all other GHI activities—from coffee pouring to policy planning—will result in a stronger and healthier corporation.

Special Music Marks Holy Name Society Baptist Services

Don Miller, soloist and active member of the Montrose Baptist Church, Rockville, Maryland, will be the guest song leader, soloist, and choir director for the Special Services beginning at the Greenbelt Baptist Church on Sunday, April 9, and concluding on Friday evening, April 14.

A voluntary choir, composed of members and friends will sing at members and friends of the church, will sing at the night services.

Rev. Nick Salios, pastor of the Bethany Baptist Church, Wilmington, Delaware, will be preaching at the 11 a.m. worship service and the 7:30 p.m. evening service this coming Sunday. He will also preach each night, beginning at 7:45 p.m.

Sunday will be Membership Sunday in the Greenbelt Baptist

Men of St. Hugh's Holy Name Society will attend the 8 o'clock Mass Sunday, April 9. The Rev. John McGee, S.C.S., of Holy Cross Foreign Mission Seminary, will be the speaker at the meeting after Mass. Fr. McGee, working presently for a Master's degree in anthropology, will talk about "Indian life in Labrador". Tickets are now available for the Society's "Get Acquainted" Social, April 15. Call Mr. Chieppa, 4626, for tickets.

Church, when interested friends will unite with the church by profession of their faith in Christ pending baptism or transfer of their membership. During the evening service a baptism by immersion will be conducted.

A nursery will be open each evening so that parents with babies and small children may attend the services.

Minding His Business

OPEN LETTER TO HARRY ZUBKOFF:

You ARE minding your business, Harry, when (as a member of Twin Pines, GHI, and GCS) you express concern about our efforts to serve our members, our needs, our community with housing for the elderly, a motel, a theatre.

I wish more people were as concerned as you -- then it would be easier to convince them that this is THEIR business too and that only through their co-operatives can they provide nearby, moderate-cost housing, for their elderly-selves or for their parents. (Incidentally among other benefits, it would provide for member-approved, efficient use of vacant land at no cost or liability to the corporation -- but I'll let the committee tell you of that.)

Is a motel their business -- members and board of GHI? You've answered your own question when you say they ought to be spending their time "trying to cut costs and creating a more efficient operation." This they are constantly trying to do (and rather efficiently, too - witness GHI financial statement) but I know of no better way to attack this directly than through the very logical use of available land to meet (again) community needs while providing very real tax benefits to our city. We call the tune and let someone else pay the fiddler; eat the cake and have it too.

Is a well run, community-centered theatre a need in Greenbelt? Could it help in our program to rehabilitate and revitalize the commercial center? Would it attract others from outside our city and show real cooperative and community-minded spirit?

A large majority of the Twin Pines members in annual meeting assembled thought the answers important and decided to investigate possibilities -- whether co-op or otherwise -- for improving the "show" case of Greenbelt.

Keep on minding YOUR business, Harry -- we may need you as a movie, music, or drama critic one of these days, if you aren't too busy writing, producing, or directing plays in which other Greenbelters may be minding THEIR business.

BRUCE BOWMAN

Endorsement TO THE EDITOR

Reference to the article "Persistence" by Mr. Harry Zubkoff, appearing in your issue of March 23rd. I offer three cheers. It was forcefully written, to the point and, I think, well received by most non-board members.

With the author's permission, I would like to see a re-run of same in your next issue with the last sentence set in bold capitals and each word underlined. Claude W. Benson

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engagement of her daughter, Susan Diane, to Martin Stephen Rosenzweig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosenzweig, 4-E Crescent.

Special Services



April 9-14

Sundays 11 a.m.

Rev. Nick Salios, Pastor Weeknights 7:30 p.m.
Bethany Baptist Church 7:45 p.m.
Wilmington, Delaware

Greenbelt Baptist Church

Crescent and Greenhill Roads, Greenbelt, Md.

Dr. Glenn W. Samuelson, Pastor

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9:00 a.m. — Nursery, Kindergarten, Primary, Lower Junior
10:00 a.m. — Jr., Jr. and Sr. High, Men's and Women's Classes
11:10 a.m. — Toddlers, Nursery, Kindergarten, Primary, Lower Junior

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By ELAINE SKOLNIK Granite 4-6060

Did you see Eva and Kenneth Stunkel among the dancers pictured in Sunday's Washington Post Potomac feature, Religion and the Dance? For several years the Stunkels, 19-L Ridge, have performed with the Mary Craighill Dance group, appearing at Town Hall, New York City, the Lisner and Roosevelt auditoriums, etc. During the past month, they have danced in many of the area's churches.

It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Jon Weeks, 6-S Hillside. Debi Louise made her debut March 20, weighing 8 lbs. 1/2 oz. She joins a brother, Eric.

Recruit Thomas Hogan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Hogan, 7-B Ridge is with Company D, 2nd Battalion, 1st Training Regiment of the U.S. Army Training Center, Infantry, at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, where he is undergoing eight weeks of Basic Combat Training.

So sorry to learn that Doty McGee, 7-D Hillside, broke her arm. Hope it mends fast.

A speedy recovery to Betty Brooks, 2-K Northway, who recently underwent surgery.

Best wishes to Robby White, 2-A Gardenway, who celebrated

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his birthday on March 15.

Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Jarvis Jr., are visiting Mrs. Jarvis's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Oldson, 26-B Crescent Road, after a vacation in Europe. The Jarvisses are on their way back to Texas, where Dr. Jarvis is on the staff at Sheppard Air Force Base.

A seven-hour sightseeing tour of Washington, Alexandria, Arlington Cemetery, and Mt. Vernon was the latest group activity for the Cub Scouts of Greenbelt's Pack 202. Thirty-eight cubs and parents took part in the chartered-bus trip on Saturday, March 25, with Cubmaster Ed Wilkinson serving as both driver and tour guide.

SCIENCE FAIR HIGHLIGHTS

By ELAINE SKOLNIK

North End School's Science Fair has again been rated one of the best in the County. The quality of the projects was excellent and represented the coordinated interests of the students, their parents, teachers, and friends. All participants received certificates.

Selected for display at Greenbelt Junior High's Science Fair were Elise Geller's Solar Furnace and Lana Toohey's project, Heat at Work. Their projects, along with Joe Truban's Force Pump and Anne Vaught's Terrarium, will be submitted for exhibit at the County Science Fair.

Shamrock Slants

By BILL MOORE JR.

The Greenbelt men's baseball team will begin workout drills starting this Saturday and Sunday at 3 p.m., and on every subsequent weekend until April 30, when the Tri-County season opens for 1961. This is unlimited baseball and the only age requirement is that players wishing to come out must be 17 years or older. Anyone who is interested may report to Braden Field behind the new Youth Center at 3 o'clock this weekend.

SIDE BARS

Richard Stevenson is the new manager of the Shamrocks this year. He may be reached either at home (WE 5-6407) or at the Men's Gym (held each Thursday evening in the Youth Center building). Rich is currently attending Maryland University and is working with the City Recreation Department and Youth Center programs.

Rich, 26, played Army ball and also unlimited baseball during the past eight seasons, and last year took care of the coaching as well as most of the catching for Greenbelt. We wish him the best of luck.

Sponsorship is still lagging for the Shamrocks, but by the end of this weekend a few leads for financial help will be brought into the open - the verdict to be determined.

Scout Circus

The boys of Explorer Post 746 will soon be knocking on your doors encouraging you to buy Scout Circus tickets. The Boy Scout Circus will be held at Griffith Stadium on May 19 and 20.

Siren Notes

BY RITA FISHER

The Prince Georges County Civil Defense Agency in conjunction with the Prince Georges County Rescue Squad Association, will hold their annual "Rescue Clinic" at the National Guard Armory at Greenbelt on Saturday, April 8, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The program is designed to show new or improved techniques for both light and heavy rescue. Registration for this clinic will be at 8:45 a.m. and it is open to the public. A lunch will be served by the ladies on the mobile canteen.

The Ladies Auxiliary is sponsoring a Spring Dance at the new fire house on Friday, April 21. Chuck Kidwell and his orchestra will provide music from 9:30 to 1:30. Make your reservations early.

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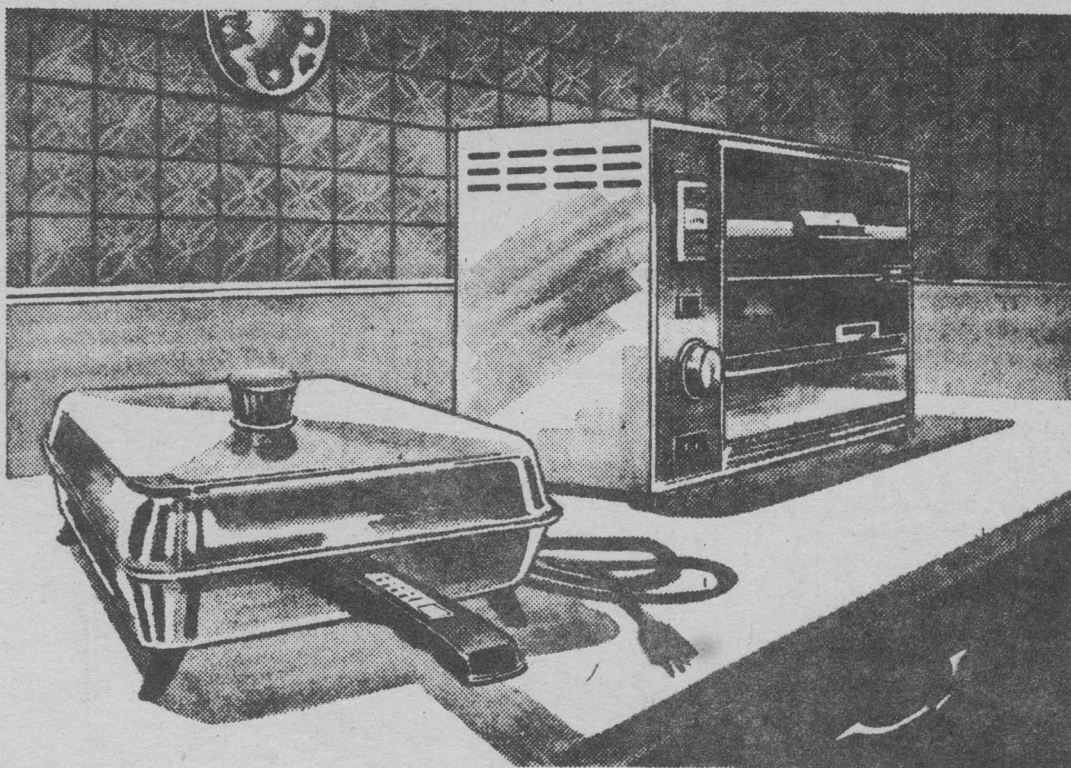
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Junior Hi-Lites

By DEBI WYATT

For the last few weeks Greenbelt Junior High has been helterskelter about the tenth Annual Science Fair. Now it is all over and we are very proud to report that it was most successful. We had a total of over 400 projects plus two special space science displays, one of which was from the Goddard Space Flight Center. We are very proud also to report that two of the three grand prize winners are Greenbelters. Alice Goldberg, 14-W Hillside, won first grand prize for her project on "Mathematical Basis for Musical Composition - Part II" and Judy Bragonje, 45A Ridge, won second grand prize for her project on "How Fast Do Your Fingernails Grow?" The Science Fair could not have been the success it was without the supervision of Alice Goldberg, student chairman and Mr. Clifford A. Stevens, faculty chairman. Much thanks goes to them!

A big event coming up at Greenbelt Junior High this month is the school play "Father's Been So Mars." The date for this is April 21 and 22 at 8 p.m. Tickets will be on sale soon and we urge you all to come.

New York, here we come! The ninth graders at Greenbelt Junior High are looking forward to their class trip. The ninth graders, for several years have taken a spring trip to New York. This year, however, it will be a two-day trip. The date for this trip, which all the ninth graders are truly excited about, is May 20 and 21.

A Tri-Hi-Y, Hi-Y gym nite will be held in the gym on April 14. The Tri-Hi-Y, Hi-Y county rally will be held on April 21.

AAUW Talk On Africa

The College Park branch of the American Association of University Women will meet Monday, April 10 at 8 p.m., in the Maryland Room, University of Maryland. The program for the evening will be "The Emerging Nations of Africa".

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Cub Leaders Pow-Wow

The Prince Georges County Cub Leaders Training Committee will present a Pow-wow for adult leaders of Cub Scouts at the Bladensburg Senior High School, 56th and Tilden, on Saturday, April 8, beginning at 12 noon. Parents of boys aged 8 to 11, as well as both experienced and prospective leaders, will be given an opportunity to learn about scouting. Paul Cox of the Anacostia District, Boy Scouts of America, will speak at the 4:00 closing ceremony.

Registrations will be received at the door up to the limit of 400 total attendance. The fee is \$1 to cover refreshments and materials.

A midway of games has been assembled from various Packs by Carl Cochrane, and exhibits by Packs and distributors are under the direction of Jim Simpson. Indian dancers (Cubs) will be featured at the opening ceremonies at 12:45.

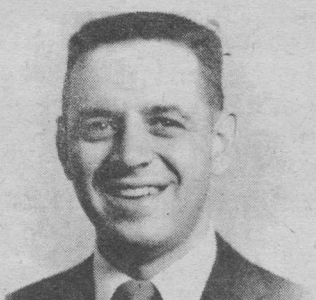
To Hear Guest Preacher

Guest preacher at both the 9 and 11:10 a.m. Worship Services next Sunday in Greenbelt Community Church will be the new Executive Secretary of the Council of Churches, National Capital Area, the Reverend Virgil E. Lowder.



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